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Presented for filing is a new original patent application of:

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Title : SOLID STATE IMAGING DEVICE  
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Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required for a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

Pages of Specification	27
Pages of Claims	10
Pages of Abstract	1
Sheets of Formal Drawings	12
Pages of Declaration	2
Pages of Submission of Priority Document	1
Certified Copy of JP 2000-190643	1
Pages of Information Disclosure Statement	1
Pages of PTO-1449 Form (in duplicate)	1
Copies of Cited Reference	1

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Applicants respectfully claim priority under 35 USC 119 to Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-190643 filed on June 26, 2000. The certified copy of this application is enclosed.

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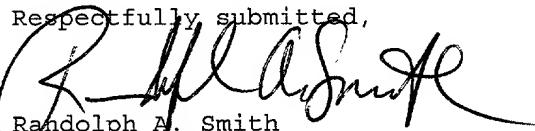
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